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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number 09/957,385 Filing Date September 19, 2001 First Named Inventor Khan, et al. Group Art Unit 1763 Examiner Name Robert P. Culbert Attorney Docket Number AM5782
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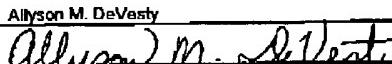
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Signature	 Date June 21, 2004		

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 1186

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Application Number	09/957,395
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First Named Inventor	Khan, et al.
Examiner Name	Robert P. Culbert
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Attorney Docket No.	AM5782

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
1001	770	2001	385 Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170 Design filing fee	
1003	630	2003	265 Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385 Release filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80 Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)				(\$ 0)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	-20--	= 4	X 18	= 72
Independent Claims	7	-3--	= 4	X 86 = 344
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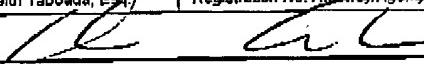
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1202	18	2202	9 Claims in excess of 20	
1201	86	2201	43 Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203	280	2203	145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	86	2204	43 -- Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18	2205	9 -- Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)				(\$ 416)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES	Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1051	130	2051	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130 Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55 Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210 Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475 Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740 Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165 Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145 Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665 Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	885 Utility issue fee (or release)	
1602	480	2502	240 Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320 Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
1606	180	1808	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	770	2801	385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	770
1802	900	1802	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)				
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